

# Lighting Up The Way

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## **John 3:16**

For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life.

## **Galatians 5:1**

It is for freedom that Christ has set us free. Stand firm, then, and do not let yourselves be burdened again by a yoke of slavery.

## **Hosea 4:6**

My people are destroyed for lack of knowledge [of My law, where I reveal My will]. Because you [the priestly nation] have rejected knowledge, I will also reject you from being My priest.

## **Proverbs 5:23**

He will die for lack of instruction (discipline), And in the greatness of his foolishness he will go astray and be lost.

## **Galatians 5:13-14**

<sup>13</sup> You, my brothers and sisters, were called to be free. But do not use your freedom to indulge the flesh; rather, serve one another humbly in love. <sup>14</sup> For the entire law is fulfilled in keeping this one command: "Love your neighbour as yourself."

## **2 Corinthians 5:17**

Therefore if anyone is in Christ [that is, grafted in, joined to Him by faith in Him as Savior], he is a new creature [reborn and renewed by the Holy Spirit]; the old things [the previous moral and spiritual condition] have passed away. Behold, new things have come [because spiritual awakening brings a new life].

## **1 Corinthians 3:1-3**

<sup>1</sup> However, brothers and sisters, I could not talk to you as to spiritual people, but [only] as to worldly people [dominated by human nature], mere infants [in the new life] in Christ! <sup>2</sup> I fed you with milk, not solid food; for you were not yet able to receive it. Even now you are still not ready. <sup>3</sup> You are still worldly [controlled by ordinary impulses, the sinful capacity]. For as long as there is jealousy and strife and discord among you, are you not unspiritual, and are you not walking like ordinary men [unchanged by faith]?

## **1 Peter 2:2**

<sup>2</sup> like newborn babies [you should] long for the pure milk of the word, so that by it you may be nurtured and grow in respect to salvation.

**Romans 8:14**

For those who are led by the Spirit of God are the children of God.

**Titus 2:2-6**

<sup>2</sup> Teach the older men to be temperate, worthy of respect, self-controlled, and sound in faith, in love and in endurance. <sup>3</sup> Likewise, teach the older women to be reverent in the way they live, not to be slanderers or addicted to much wine, but to teach what is good.

<sup>4</sup> Then they can urge the younger women to love their husbands and children, <sup>5</sup> to be self-controlled and pure, to be busy at home, to be kind, and to be subject to their husbands, so that no one will malign the word of God. <sup>6</sup> Similarly, encourage the young men to be self-controlled.

**Psalm 119:130**

The entrance of Your words gives light; It gives understanding to the simple.

**Psalm 119:133**

Direct my steps by Your word, and let no iniquity have dominion over me.

**Psalm 119:105**

Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path.

**2 Samuel 22:29**

“For You, O Lord, are my lamp; The Lord illumines and dispels my darkness.

**Psalm 119:114**

You are my refuge and my shield; I have put my hope in your word.

**Psalm 18:30**

As for God, his way is perfect: The Lord’s word is flawless; he shields all who take refuge in him.

**2 Samuel 5:18-20**

<sup>18</sup> Now the Philistines had come and spread out in the Valley of Rephaim; <sup>19</sup> so David inquired of the Lord, “Shall I go and attack the Philistines? Will you deliver them into my hands?” The Lord answered him, “Go, for I will surely deliver the Philistines into your hands.” <sup>20</sup> So David went to Baal Perazim, and there he defeated them. He said, “As waters break out, the Lord has broken out against my enemies before me.” So that place was called Baal Perazim.

**Isaiah 59:1**

Behold, the Lord’s hand is not so short that it cannot save, nor His ear so impaired that it cannot hear.

**Matthew 5:15**

Nor does anyone light a lamp and put it under a basket, but on a lampstand, and it gives light to all who are in the house.

**Deuteronomy 6:6-8**

<sup>6</sup> These words, which I am commanding you today, shall be [written] on your heart and mind. <sup>7</sup> You shall teach them diligently to your children [impressing God's precepts on their minds and penetrating their hearts with His truths] and shall speak of them when you sit in your house and when you walk on the road and when you lie down and when you get up.

<sup>8</sup> And you shall bind them as a sign on your hand (forearm), and they shall be used as bands (frontals, frontlets) on your forehead.